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## ARMIES FIGHTING IN HEAVY SNOWSTORM

### Battle Is Progressing Favorably For the Japanese.

JAP ARMY NEARING MUKDEN

**Russians Captured Are Attired in Chinese Clothes—General Nogi's Port Arthur Veterans Are Participating in the Battle—Losses Are Heavy.**

General Kuroki's Headquarters, via Fusan, March 4.—The battle is progressing favorably for the Japanese although a snowstorm is swirling over the hilltops. The gunners get glimpses of their targets only when the clouds lift a few moments.

The Japanese made great gains by night advances against the Russian position on the extreme left and they occupy a part of the first line of the triple line of defenses in the hill beyond the Shakhe. The Russian trenches here run northeast on the crests of the low line of hills following the bend of the river. The main defense lines are higher in the hills beyond. The Japanese right forces are pushing forward under cover of the night. Ofurei and Taka mountain was surprised by them and the Japs met with but little opposition. At Ofurei the Japanese found trenches circling the hill. They fired from three sides and entrenched the Russians, capturing 60. These were partly dressed in Chinese clothes and looking as though they had been leading a hard life.

The Japanese forces directly west of Waitao mountain took advanced positions close to the river during the night. The Russians made feeble and ineffectual attacks on the villages near the river. A tremendous bombardment is being made westward today.

Great clouds of smoke are ascending near the Wanpaosan hills, where the Japanese fire is directed. The cannonading also about Waito mountain was suspended this morning. The Japanese right is shelling the Russian works on the higher hills and at noon the Japanese opposite Waito mountain resumed work co-operating with them. On Tuesday 60 Russian guns were working. Opposite Waito mountain there were 30. The casualties in the right army have been very few compared with the results gained. These regiments camping in the open ground or making night attacks muffled in heavy clothes are put to the hardest tests that soldiers could endure.

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Sakhetun, Manchuria, March 4.—Stubborn fighting has been going on all day long. Four Japanese divisions are out 11 miles west of Mukden.

The Japanese todsy made two infantry attacks on Poutiloff hill, but were repulsed. They have resumed the bombardment of the hill. The Japanese atacked the Russian extreme left wing at two points as well as at Gauto pass, where, during the morning, the fortifications previously abandoned, were captured by the Russians. The bombardment of the Russian positions on the left and right flanks continued while the Japanese swept Poutiloff hill with at least 2,500 shells from Mortars and siege guns that the latter's projectiles being recognizable by their enormous explosive force and massive splinters.

Towards evening the Japanese advanced on the right wing, where stubborn fighting continues. Though the Japanese are pushing forward on the left bank of the Hun river, the Russians are maintaining stubborn defense.

The four Japanese divisions engaged in the turning movement on the Russian right on the Liao river today reached Sawnipu, about 11 miles west of Mukden, but Russian reinforcements were sent out and checked the advance. A Japanese attack on the positions east of Erdagou at 4 o'clock this morning was repulsed.

Under cover of the artillery fire and a mist the Japanese opened an infantry attack on Pootiloff hill at 7 a. m., but were beaten off by the desolating fire of the Russian guns. A second attack at noon were similarly repulsed after which the Japanese resumed the bombardment of the hill with siege guns preparatory to making a fresh assault.

General Nogi's Port Arthur veterans are participating in the present fighting. The losses on both sides are heavy, but the results are indecisive.

The report that a detachment of Japanese cavalry has appeared at Sinmintin is confirmed.

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### CHINESE COOK IS SUSPECTED.

**As the One Who Placed Poison in Mrs. Stanford's Medicine.**

San Francisco, March 4.—The Call published a dispatch from Honolulu which says that Miss Bertha Berner, who was Mrs. Stanford's secretary, has named Ah Wing, a Chinese cook, who has been employed at Mrs. Stanford's home for over 20 years, as the person whom she suspects of placing the strychnine in the bicarbonate of soda.

Ah Wing, with the other servants in the employ of Mrs. Stanford is now confined in the Stanford mansion on California street by private detectives under orders, it is said, of the personal attorney of Mrs. Stanford. They are not allowed to leave the house and a watchman is on guard at the gate day and night with orders to prohibit al persons from approaching the dwelling.

Besides Ah Wing there are two other Chinese servants and the housekeeper at present in th house.

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### GIGANTIC DRUG COMBINATION.

**Existence of Which Cost the Consumers $40,000,000 Annually.**

Chicago, March 4.—Existence of a gigantic combine controlling the drug trade of the United States and costing the consumers $40,000,000 annually is held to have been proven by the hearing just concluded before special United States Commissioner Marshal E. Sampselle.

The amount of business controlled by the combination is placed at $400,000,000 yearly. The evidence is said to be so conclusive that it probably will be placed in the hands of a United States attorney for investigation. The fight against the combination is being made by a large retail druggist in Philadelphia, who is suing for $100,000 damages under the Sherman anti-trust law.

The chief witness has been Thomas V. Wooten, secretary of the national association of retail druggists.

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**Memphis Will Have Races.**

New Orleans, March 4.—George C. Bennett, one of the largest stockholders in the New Memphis Jockey club, and who is also interested in the Crescent City Jockey club, has stated that the later will run day for day with the New Orleans Jockey club and one day longer. Mr. Bennett said that to carry out the plans of the Western Jockey club in the turf war thas is now in progress, the Memphis meeting will be postponed. Mr. Bennett has informed H. D. Brown, who is interested in the New Orleans Jockey club, of the plans that have been mapped out.

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**Mardi Gras Opens.**

New Orleans, March 4.—The carnival parades opened Thursday night with the pageant by the Knights of Momus. The subpject was "Vathek," a Persian poem, describing the calip's wanderings through enchanted gardens to the halls of Eblis. There were 18 magnificent floats. The ball at the French opera house, in which Momus crowned his queen in an enchanted garden, was a beautiful spectacle, with the officers of the cruiser Brooklyn part of the brilliant throng. Spring weather has set in and the crowd is already of record size. Miss Florence Kells was queen.

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**Three Strikes Settled.**

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 4.—The troubles at several mines have been settled. The strikers at the Hollister & Bowman colliery went back to work, having adjusted their grievances; the Kingston Coal company men managed to settle the several grievances which they have had for some time, the company granting concessions, and the striking driver boys and others at the Coxe Bros. & Co. mines went back to work.

## ROOSEVELT IS OUR PRESIDENT

### The Inauguration is Most Elaborate in History.

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**The Inaugural Address Was Brief and Patriotic—Washington Filled With an Eager Crowd to See the Eventful Scene.**

Washington, March 4.—Theodore Roosevelt was sworn in as President of the United States today, as the choice of the voters of the land.

The crowd was the largest in the history of such an event, and there was no serious hitch in the program.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

The procession was the grandest pageant ever seen here, and as the President's carriage passed along he was loudly cheered.

The inaugural address was very short and filled with patriotic utterances, and the sentiment seemed to catch the enthusiasm of all.

It was the busiest hour in President Roosevelt's life, and the vast crowd was well controlled by the 1,200 policemen on duty.

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### IMPORTANT TARIFF DECISION.

**United States Circuit Court Hands Down Ruling on Sheet Iron.**

New York, March 4.—A decision of interest to the iron sheet manufacturers has been returned by the United States circuit court of appeals. The decision affected the finding of the lower court, and also the ruling of the board of general appraisers in declaring that metals assessed as wrought iron under section 183 of the tariff act were properly dutiable as metals not otherwise provided for.

The clause is of the act of 1897. The question grew out of a protest against the assessment by the collector of 25 cents ad valorem on a quantity of merchandise invoiced of Ferro-Chromes, Ferro-Tungsten, Ferro-Molibdenum and Ferro-Vanadius—minerals used in the crucibles to harden armor plate and projectiles which were classified as metal unwrought. The importers claimed the ferros should come in under another section at $4 a ton along with pig iron and scraps.

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**Will Known Railroad Man Dies.**

Memphis, March 4.—Captain R. B. Pegram, a widely known railroad official, died at his residence here today. Captain Pegram was for a number of years assistant general manager of the Southern railway and resigned to assume the presidency of the Vera Cruz and Pacific railroad. He retired from the latter position recently on account of failing health.

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**Cotton Burns in North State.**

dred and fifty bales of cotton were Charlotte, N. C., March 4.—One hunburned here Thursday. A spark from a shifting engine set fire to the cotton, which was owned by the Lancaster Mercantile company and the Heath Banking and Mercantile company. The loss is covered by insurance.

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### VIRGINIA FAIR GETS MONEY.

**Congress Appropriates $250,000 for Jamestown Exposition.**

Washington, March 4.—Government participation in the exposition to celebrate the first permanent settlement of English-speaking people on the western hemisphere, in the vicinity of Jamestown, Va., on the waters of Hampton Roads, was provided by the house when by a vote of 192 to 91, the bill for that purpose passed under a suspension of the rules. The amount appropriated is $250,000.

To put the bill through a two-thirds vote was necessary, and this was obtained only after a spirited debate. The members of the Virginia delegation during the roll call mingled among their colleague and personally appealed to them to cast their votes in support of the measure. An interested spectator was General Fitzhugh Lee, president of the exposition company.

The bill subsequently was passed by the senate and now goes to the president.

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### CATHOLIC SOCIETIES TO MEET.

**New Orleans Preparing to Entertain Visitors in Royal Style.**

New Orleans, March 4.—Elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment of the distinguished members of the executive board of the American Federation of Catholic societies which is to meet here tomorrow and Sunday to arrange the program for the annual session of the federation in New Orleans.

Arrangements have been made for a great mass meeting of Catholics at the French opera house on Sunday night. Addresses will be made by Archbishop Messmer, of Milwaukee, Bishop M'Aul, of Trenton, N. J., President Minnehan, of New York, and others. Archbishop Chappelle will deliver the prayer. Archbishop Messmer, accompanied by Nicholas Gonner of Dubuque, Iowa, and Bishop J. J. Fox and Rev. L. A. Ricklin, of Green Bay, Wis., have already arrived and the remaining members of the executive board are on their way.

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**New Orleans Woman Found Dead.**

New York, March 4.—A woman found dead last Saturday on the outskirts of Paterson, N. J., who has been partially identified two or three times under different names, has now been positively declared to be Lillian Austin, a native of New Orleans, who came to New York ten years ago. Her name is said to have been Mrs. Teresa Jones, and she leavs one brother and a sister still residing in New Orleans. Ten beggars who lived in a hut near the place where the woman was found have been detained by the police, but it is evident that knew nothing of the affair.

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**Shriners Have Large Meeting.**

Atlanta, March 4.—Hundreds of Shriners of Atlanta and other cities of the state gathered in Atlanta on Thursday. The occasion of this convention was the arrival in the city of Imperial Potentate George L. Brown, and Imperial Recorder Benjamin W. Rowell. At least 300 Shriners were present in the city. They came from all over the state, from Athens, Cordele, Macon, Rome, Columbus, Elberton, Gainesville, Americus and all other cities, and they mingled with the many Atlantans who wore the scimitar and crescent.

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**To Start Mine Soon.**

Birmingham, Ala., March 4.—It is understood that the fire in the Sumter mines of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company, which started two weeks ago, is under control and that as soon as the water, which was shot into the mines to put out the fire, can be taken out, the mines will resume operations. This will require some time. Meanwhile the company has lost a daily output approximating 1,000 tons of coal and operation of furnaces has been greatly hampered.

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**Will Race for Kaiser's Cup.**

New York, March 4.—Capt. Chas. Barr, skipper of the defending yachts in many of the America's cup races has been engaged to command the three-masted auxiliary schooner Atlantic in the Kaiser's cup race across the ocean. The Atlantic is owned by Wilson Marshall.

## NEWS FROM THE RUSSIAN CAPITAL

### Looks Like There Will Be Another Big Strike.

DEMAND OF WORKMEN REFUSED

**Their Representation on Arbitration Board Is Cut Down and They Will Not Be Allowed Free Speech—Trouble at Warsaw.**

St. Petersburg, March 4.—The workmen's demands that the government pledge itself to release the 6,000 workmen who have been arrestd since Jan. 22, insure that the members of the commission should have absolute freedom of speech and immunity of arrest on account of expression of opinions and that the proceedings of the commission should be published uncensored have been rejected by the government, as anticipated.

Those who assembled at the people's palace today in accordance with yesterday's agreement found the meeting place closed, the wall placarded with a notice signed by M. Schidlovski, president of the mixed commision, giving an evasive reply in regard to the liberty of speech during the sessions of the commission while all the other demands of the workmen were negatived on the ground that he was not competent to give the guarantees demanded as the questions were outside his sphere.

The neighborhood was full of police large numbers of whom were hidden in courts, doorways, alleys and buildings in the vicinity.

The workmen stood about in the snow discussing the situation quietly among themselves. They finally decided to hold sectional meetings this afternoon to decide on the measures to be adopted before proclaiming a general strike and then dispersed.

An imperial decree commands them in order that it may be possible for all our loyal subjects to be heard directly by the emperor, the council presided over by the emperor shall examine and consider in his name all the views and wishes that may be received from private persons and institutions in regard to perfecting the administration of the estate and the improvement of the welfare of the people.

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**Warsaw Police Making Arrests.**

Warsaw, March 3.—11 a. m.—The police made numerous arrests in the course of the night, including Stanislaus Lubieseli, editor of the Kurojer Codzienny. He is not believed to be connected with the agitation movement, but it is thought his arrest was ordered for its moral effect, Lubieseki being one of the best known persons in Warsaw.

The military and police patrols have been largely increased, and are now stopping and searching persons in the streets for revolvers.

The emperor's manifesto was published here today. It is feared its reactionary tone wil have a bad effect. Every one is nervously anticipating the developments of the next few days. It is rumored that martial law will be proclaimed here March 4.

Three regiments of infantry and some squadrons of Cossacks arrived today. The authorities apparently are concentrating troops in readiness for emergencies. Seven infantry regiments and a strong force of Cossacks are stationed at Lodz. The exodus of the people of wealth in Warsaw continues. The trains to Germany and Austria are crowded.

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**Sugar Refinery in Combine's Hands.**

San Francisco, March 4.—It is authoritatively announced that the Cracker Sugar Refinery company, passed into the hands of the Hawaiian Sugar factory's association, a combination of all the leading sugar planters on the Hawaiian Islands and which practically controls all of the cane production there. The plant which has been idle for years shortly will be opened.

# A FINE PROGRAM AT CHAUTAUQUA

## Sam Jones Drew a Very Large and Appreciative Audience.

### HE TALKS ABOUT PAVING

**Instructive Entertainment by Miss Ben-Oliel on "The Bedouin Arabs"—Lou J. Beauchamp's Brilliant Lecture on "Taking the Sunny Side."**

The program for the Chautauqua assembly, at the morning session, which opened at 10:30 o'clock Thursday, contained only one number, the lecture by Dana C. Johnson on "Thomas Jefferson." With a subject so dear to the hearts of the people, the large audience was highly entertained, for in the hands of Mr. Johnson, who showed himself to be a fluent speaker and a thorough student of his subject, the lecture was voted by many to be one of the finest they had heard for years. Not only did he glorify the name of the eminent statesman whose fame he put before his auditors, but he paid high tribute to many of the statesmen of our land. Mr. Johnson won many friends for his able handling of his subject and his refined oratory.

The auditorium was filled with a large and appreciative audience on Thursday afternoon, the pupils of the Gainesville Graded and High School being present in a body, and a large number of the E. F. S. students being in the audience. Dr. Strouse spoke briefly to the meeting.

The first on the program was the entertainment by Miss Ben-Oliel, taking for her subject "The Bedouin Arabs, their customs and habits." A large number of young ladies and gentlemen were dressed in the costumes of the country, and representations in many instances were quite true to life. She gave several illustrations, among them being the mode of grinding grain for food, the process being so slow that the grind has to be kept up to supply the family with the scant necessities in this line.

The Bedouin she said was very hospitable if you meet him at the door of his tent, but woe be unto you if you meet by chance in the desert and you happen to have anything he wants. He roams the desert for plunder, while the women stay at home and keep up grinding food, and it is remarkable how little they can subsist on, as a handful of ground date stones would last them for a week. She said they were considered very nourishing, but it almost seemed a miracle that they could so subsist.

Some of the representations of the religious services were very interesting and novel, the young ladies who assisted Miss Oliel doing their parts admirably. Their mode of greeting each other was very novel, and the singing not so unmusical as some might imagine.

The missionaries have been in the lands of these people for many years and labored with much persistence, yet in all these years they have never been able to change the religion or habits of the Bedouin. He roams the desert at his own sweet will and his home is wherever the women pitch the tent, as the men only stick the stake down and she does the rest.

The lecture and entertainment of Miss Oliel is of intense interest, as she has been in that country many years and speaks from observation. She has been a careful student of these people, has a voice adapted for speaking before a large audience, and a face and eyes that materially help her to put expression in her speaking. She won popular favor among nearly every lady present.

The next event was the address of Rev. Sam Jones of Cartersville, who seemed in his usual mood. He said he took a ride in the morning with Major Thomas to see the new piece of road being built by the government as an experiment, and paid a high compliment to the mayor and the interest he took in the city. The reverend gentleman said that Gainesville is the coming city of Florida, but the proper thing to do was to bond the city and have the streets paved. A debt is all right if it is for a good thing, he said, because you are bound to make money enough out of it to pay it.

Niggers and mules are the only ones who like to wade through sand, he announced. "If I was going to hell I would go faster than some of you Florida Crackers go to dinner," he exclaimed. "The difference between you natives and sensible people is the difference between Daniel Webster and a nigger baby." He spoke of being ambitious and talked to the young men about working for themselves. He said that the doctor who doctors for a dollar and a half a visit was not the doctor that made a success in life. He said many things of interest to young men.

In showing what a young man can do if he has the determination he cited the case of Rev. George Stuart, the evangelist who was in this city at the Bible Conference, who started his career at 13 years of age by striking out to acquire an education. His farther was dead and his mother had four sons, all younger than George, who, by his own exertions, helped to support the family, worked his way through college, graduated at the head of his class and was an instructor in the college when he graduated, and at last married the president's daughter.

The Rev. Jones got quite eloquent at times and the many good things he said more than made up for the foolish talk he indulged in, so on the whole the lecture was good enough for a title, although he did not really name it.

### The Evening Session.

The evening session opened at 7:45 o'clock with violin solos by Miss Charlotte Cooke, an accomplished musician who kept the audience enraptured for a quarter of an hour. This music was followed by a stirring lecture, "Taking the Sunny Side," by Lou J. Beauchamp of Hamilton, Ohio.

Mr. Beauchamp is one of the finest orators ever heard in this city, and for more than an hour kept the audience in a good humor. While Mr. Beauchamp took the humorous side of life, he said many things full of force and logic, and those who heard him felt very much better from the lecture.


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### A BUSY DAY.

**United States Land Office Kept Busy Attending to Customers.**

The United States land office was a busy place Thursday, but notwithstanding this the clever force of clerks were in a good humor, and answered all questions with a nature which showed that they were inclined to fulfill their duty promptly and properly.

Among the most important business transactions at the land office was the entry of several timber claims, which means a great deal of extra work for the force, but there is no objection to that.

Among the visitors to the city who had business to transact with the land office were Hon. Drew R. Hanley, Dr. Geo. E. Bothwell and D. C. Kinlin, all prominent citizens of Mayo, LaFayette county, who came to look after certain lands in Taylor county. W. H. Chancey of Mayo was also here looking after some business connected with the land office.

### Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Charles F. Lemberger of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "cut a fearful gash over his eye, so I applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, which quickly healed it and saved his eye." Good for burns and ulcers too. Only 25c at all drug stores.

### THEY SURVEYED THE ROAD.

**Commissioners Dampier and Pedrick Make Inspection of New Road.**

County Commissioners John G. Dampier and C. C. Pedrick made a tour of inspection of the government object-lesson road, which is being constructed on the Paradise road, Wednesday afternoon, and were very much pleased with the work so far accomplished. They have arrived at the conclusion that Government Expert Dodge, who is superintendent of the government road-building, knows a thing or two about the work, because he has given the county the benefit of one of the finest "stretches" of road ever built in the South. Mr. Dodge has been in the road-building profession for many yeaas, and is regarded as one of the most competent in the country.

"I am very much impressed with this object-lesson road as far as it has gone," remarked Chairman Dampier to The Sun reporter. "The only objection I have to make is that it is only a mile, and another objection is that the county has only $1,200 to complete the balance, about a mile and a half. I think it the duty of the people to offer subscriptions to complete this road, and many of them have already responded liberally to the request. I hope every person interested will give us what he can, and by this means it may be possible to continue the work.'

Commissioner Dampier is thoroughly converted to hard roads, and declares they are the first steps of civilization and advancement in any section.

### A Chicago Alderman Owes His Election to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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### A. C. L. Changes.

There has been a change in the office of the train dispatcher of the Atlantic Coast Line in this city.

F. H. Ford of Jacksonville, a railway telegrapher of ability, has arrived in the city, and will be chief dispatcher, assuming also what is termed the first trick. C. A. Nichols, who has been working in the capacity of dispatcher and first trick, will be transferred to the second trick, and Chas. W. Parham will relieve him on the third trick.

It will be remembered that W. B. Higdon, an efficient operator who has been in the employ of the Plant System and Atlantic Coast Line for the past seventeen years, has been working the third trick, but recently resigned to go into the life insurance business.

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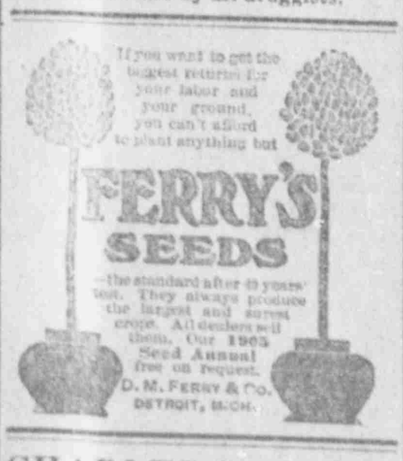
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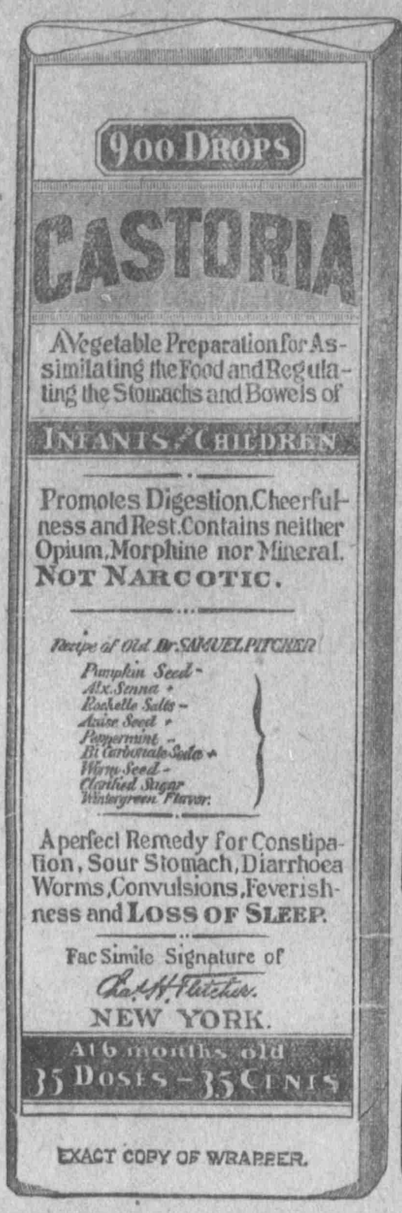
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# BUSINESS SLOW IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

## Very Little Business Transacted by That Body Thursday.

### THE GRAND JURY REPORTS

**Brought in Indictments in Six Cases. Other Cases Arraigned, Some Prisoners Pleading Guilty—One Mistrial, and Prisoner is Again Indicted.**

The fourth day of the second week of the circuit court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua county, passed off in a manner uninteresting, nothing of importance having transpired.

The court was called to order at 9 o'clock, His Honor Judge J. T. Wills presiding.

The following cases were taken up:

State of Florida vs. Hamp Miller, appeal denove; nol prossed by motion of assistant State's attorney.

State vs. Murray McNish, assault with intent to murder. Prisoner arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Jury called and sworn and case submitted, after which one juryman was withdrawn by consent of the court, and a mistrial was the result, the indictment being quashed by the court. Another indictment was issued by the grand jury, however, and the trial will be held again.

State vs. Fletcher Watson, murder in the first degree. Prisoner arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

State vs. Arthur Davis, stealing a horse. Prisoner arraigned and pleaded guilty; sentenced by the court to five years in State prison.

State vs. John Davis, breaking and entering. Defendant arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

The grand jury during the day made its report, bringing in six true bills.

The court adjourned until Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

### JUSTICE COLMAN'S COURT.

**S. Stephens, Alleged Crook, Held Over for Action of Circuit Court.**

S. Stephens, the negro who was arrested by Conductor M. R. Gilmer at the point of a pistol on board a train of the Atlantic Coast Line just as the train was clearing Tuesday, and subsequently turned into the custody of Chief of Police Pinkoson, searched, and a number of diamonds and $190 taken from his person, was arraigned before Justice Colman upon a charge of grand larceny, and was committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

Stephens is evidently one of the slickest in the profession, if he is wrong at all, for he has a clever way of going about his work. It is not known whether or not he stole the diamonds, which aggregate in value nearly a thousand dollars, but the facts are dead against him in the $110 of which he relieved J. Wesley Jones of Waldo, with the pretense that he was to secure for him a position as waiter at a hotel in St. Augustine at a salary of $18 a week, "to say nothing of the tips."

It is not known whether the grand jury will take up this case at the present term of the court or not.

**Cured Consumption.**

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Charwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

### DEATH OF DR. GIDDINGS.

**One of Gainesville's Oldest Citizens Passed Away Thursday Night.**

One of the saddest deaths occurring in this section for many years was that of Dr. S. B. Giddings, which occurred at his boarding house in this city Thursday night, after a lingering illness of several days.

Deceased was about eighty years of age, and was one of the most widely known residents in this section, having resided here for the past quarter of a century. He conducted a drug store on West Main street, and up to the time of the death of his devoted wife a year ago, was living happily, notwithstanding his advanced age.

**The Best Cough Syrup.**

S. L. Apple, Ex-Probate Judge, Ottawa Co., Kansas, writes: "This is to say that I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup for years, and that I do not hesitate to recommend it as the best cough syrup I have ever used." 25c, 50c, $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

### MEETING NIGHTS CHANGED.

**Odd Fellows and Masons Change Meeting Nights for Convenience.**

There has been a change in the meeting nights of the Odd Fellows and Masons, which was brought about by a general conference of the officers of both orders.

Center Lodge No 11, I. O. O. F., has been accustomed to meet in the lodge room, which is used jointly by several of the secret orders of the city. For the reason that the Odd Fellows, the majority of whom are merchants and clerks, are compelled to remain at work long hours on Saturday, they stated that they could not afford to spend until almost midnight on Friday at the lodge, since they must rise early the following morning. They loved the order and loved to attend its meetings, but felt that they could not do so under the circumstances, as it kept them up too late the preceding night and Saturday was always a hard day.

Noble Grand Blanding and other officers of Center Lodge appreciated the position of the Odd Fellows and with a desire to accommodate them, sought to change the meeting night. The Masons as a rule are just of the opposite class, being office and professional men who are not compelled to toil behind a counter for hours at a time, and by a conference with the officers of the Royal Arch Masons it has been decided to exchange meeting nights.

Notice is therefore given that there will be no meeting of Center Lodge this evening, but the next meeting, as well as all meetings in the future, will be held on Monday evenings. The Royal Arch Chapter of Masons, which has been meeting on the fourth Monday, will meet the third Friday of each month in the future.

### CREATED A SENSATION.

**N. R. Carter Writes Article on Negro Subject for Camp News.**

N. R. Carter, D. P. of the local camp of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, has created quite a sensation throughout the country by a recent article on the color question which he sent to The Camp News of Philadelphia.

Mr. Carter wrote about the negro in the South as he really exists, and his article seems to have created quite a impression among the readers of The Camp News in all sections of the country, as he has received many letters of congratulation upon the article.

### A Micanopy Marriage.

Micanopy was the scene of a most impressive marriage Wednesday, when Marvin Pierce Summers, a progressive young business man of High Springs, was united with Miss Estil, the charming daughter of Mrs. M. V. Mathers, at the home of her mother at high noon.

There were a great many friends and relatives of the bride and groom present, and the affair was one of great pomp and splendor, notwithstanding that it was of a private nature. Among those present from High Springs were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Godwin, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Phifer, Mrs. A. T. Summers, Mrs. W. C. Summers.

The bridal party passed through the city yesterday en route to High Springs, their future home. While here they were the recipients of many congratulations from friends.

The Sun wishes Mr. and Mrs. Summers a long and pleasant journey upon the sea of matrimony.

**Strikes Hidden Rocks.**

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of consumption, pneumonia, etc., you are lost if you do not get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better, when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed, at all drug stores. Price, 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

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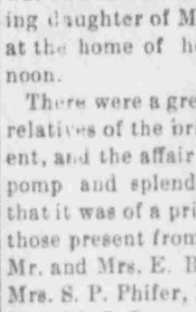

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**Kirby Smith Chapter Held Interesting Meeting Thursday Afternoon.**

Kirby Smith Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, held an interesting meeting at the home of the former president, Mrs. H. H. McCreary, Thursday afternoon, which was largely attended. The meeting was held for the purpose of installing officers newly elected, which were as follows:

Mrs J. N. Strobhar, president; Mrs. Geo. W. Moyers, first vice-president; Mrs. J. F. McKinstry, Jr., second vice-president; Miss Maud Graham, recording secretary; Mrs. F. R. Seawell, treasurer; Mrs. John Chesnut, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. W. Taylor, registrar; Mesdames H. H. McCreary and J. E. Wainwright, historians.

Mrs. McCreary, the retiring president, in a few appropriate words, delivered the chair to Mrs. Strobhar, and her words were very impressive. Mrs. Strobhar replied in her usual clever manner. She is one of the most cultured ladies of the city, and what she had to say proved of great interest to those present.

Kirby Smith Chapter continues to prosper, and has one of the largest memberships in proportion to population in the State. The Chapter was never in better condition, financially and otherwise, and the members are grateful.

The famous monogram quilt, which has been under course of making for the past year, was reported finished, and the same was presented by the Chapter to Mrs. Turner Brewer, formerly Miss Willie Moyers, who has been so faithful as secretary to the Chapter. It was presented as a token of high esteem and regard to this lady, who has been always alert to the best interests of the society and the Chapter.

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Talk about Gainesville and its attractions. It is worthy of it.

There is only one drawback to the building operations in Gainesville—the lack of building material.

If you can't say a good word for your town, remain silent or else look over the files of The Sun and learn something to say.

The United States government will soon issue campaign badges to the veterans of the Philippine and the Spanish-American wars.

"I don't see but what you can buy clothing as cheap in Gainesville as anywhere I have been," remarked a tourist a few days ago.

The city of Gainesville has an excellent place for entertaining the people at the Bible Conference and Chautauqua in the commodious tabernacle.

If you don't believe there is a demand for moderate-priced houses for rent in Gainesville, advertise, "House for Rent," in The Sun and watch the result.

It is reported that the Seaboard Air Line Railway Company has purchased a million dollars worth of valuable property in Atlanta to be used for railroad yards, their trackage in that city being too small.

The Boulware Spring, which supplies our city water, has got more friends than any to be found in Florida. One gentleman comes here every winter for the purpose of bathing in it, and he uses it without heating.

With twenty-three grocery and provision stores in our city, and none of them with signs in the windows, "Closed to invoice," it must be apparent to all that the people of Gainesville and vicinity do not live entirely on air.

The ladies of Gainesville are becoming quite enthusiastic in the healthful exercise of bowling. Some of them experience considerable difficulty in keeping the balls on the alley until they reach the pins, while others are becoming quite proficient.

For stomach trouble and indigestion, take one or two glasses of Boulware Spring water before breakfast each morning. If your stomach cannot stand it cold, boil the water. The water can be had at any penstock in the city. You will have to boil it, if you desire it hot. The city only furnishes it cool.

The Sun is adding new names to its already large subscription list every day, and the advertisers are becoming aware of the fact that if they want to reach the people they can do so through it's columns. Every postoffice in the county has a number of subscribers and the lists are all increasing. The Sun publishes more State news items than any paper in Florida, and people who are interested in their own State want The Sun. Those in other States who want Florida news must have The Sun. The Sun has now become a necessity. Without its rays there would be little or no life.

## CHAUTAUQUA OPENING.

The opening of the second Chautauqua in the city of Gainesville, on Wednesday, March 1, 1905, must have been very gratifying to Dr. Clarence B. Strouse, the promoter, and who has labored so earnestly to make it the success its opening promises. The people in large numbers turned out to be present at the first entertainment, and it is plain to be seen that the best of our citizens, both in the city and those residing in the surrounding towns and country, are in accord with the enterprise, and will do their share to maintain it with their patronage.

Through the persistent efforts of the reverend Doctor Gainesville is now well established as a chautauqua city, and as the name is considered all over the land as synonymous with that of refinement and uplifting and wholesome entertainment, we should all feel a sense of satisfaction at being regarded as a city of the class we are thus placed in before the land.

The diversified program cannot help but please all classes who would desire wholesome entertainment, and there is no doubt but that each year the Gainesville Chautauqua will grow better and better, until it will take its place way up to the top of all, and to Dr. Strouse be the glory of all our greatness, with the aid of our enterprising citizens.

## LONG MAY HE WAVE.

The people of Marion county have been very busy for the past three or four weeks drumming up candidates to make the run at the special election for the position of State Senator, to fill the place of Hon. C. M. Brown, not yet made vacant by his resignation, but who is said to have emulated the example of the late lamented James G. Blaine and "writ" a letter, without the added postscript of "burn this."

They have found a number who are willing to offer themselves up on the altar of the Twentieth district, comprising Marion and Sumter, and the last named county has some. But H. W. Long, when asked to make the sacrifice, declared he was otherwise engaged—had other business on his hands, and so Mr. Long goes on record as declining the honor that the people desired to bestow on him. Few men in this or any other commonwealth of the forty-six would pass up such an opportunity simply because he would rather hold the place of county commissioner and help make "good roads." But Mr. Long is the one man, at least, who has the interests of his county at heart, and when he has the good roads all completed he should be given a ride over them in an auto to the State capitol.

Long may he wave.

## DEAR OLD GAINESVILLE.

Many people who have left the city owing to some circumstance that may have called them to another locality to reside, long to be here again, and if unable to return must keep in touch with the city, as the following letter would indicate:

"St. Johnsbury, Vt., Feb. 27, 1905.

"Editor Daily Sun: Dear Sir—Kindly send The Sun to me as long as this dollar holds good, and notify me as soon as this amount has run out. Have not seen dear old Gainesville for ten years, but the love for it is just as deep as it was when I came away.

"Very sincerely,

"WINNIE M. GILSON."

It is not altogether the homelike old city, with its spreading oaks that we admire; not the balmy air which inspires so many with new life and makes them put forth every effort to endure the little troubles they know not of—it is the best people on earth which you meet in Gainesville. The city is full of them. You cannot find better, and if you can only be just agreeable and look pleasant you will always find a reciprocal feeling in the hearts of our people.

## BANKRUPTCY LAW.

The strong opposition to a repeal of the National bankruptcy law which has been developed by the House judiciary committee at Washington, will undoubtedly result in withholding for some time, at least, a measure upon the merits of which there has been put in evidence a striking difference of opinion.

As a general proposition the law commends itself, and its abolition would result in impairing confidence in the credit system of the country. Like all measures calculated for the betterment of public welfare, it has been abused. Unscrupulous individuals have taken advantage of the opportunities afforded to cast off the burden of indebtedness and escape obligations which should have been met, and they have succeeded in bringing the law into discredit among those thus mulcted. But to condemn it on these grounds alone would be manifestly unfair. Remedial legislation is rarely such that the benefits conferred on the many cannot be abused by a few, yet to seek the repeal of all measures that operate in this manner would result in wiping a considerable proportion of the statutes off the books.

There is no apparent desire on the part of any considerable number of honest business men who want only fair dealing between debtor and creditor that the law should be repealed. It has received the indorsement of the leading legal and commercial organizations of the country. It is far from a perfect measure, yet of undeniable merit, and its repeal would be a step backward.

## ENIGMAS OF JURY TRIALS.

Every day there turns up in some part of the country one of those enigmas that cause the people to wonder at the peculiarities of the average jury, and when the jury in the case of the negro, Gus Mashby, charged with the inhuman murder of Ed Parr, another negro of a similar hue, brought in a verdict of guilty and asked for clemency at the hands of the judge in the circuit court Tuesday, a look of disgust was quite visible on his honest countenance.

The evidence showed a most depraved nature on the part of the criminal at the bar of justice, and his past record was one of crime, yet he was thrown on the mercy of the court, and for what good reason it is beyond the power of many who know the facts to solve.

The Kansas oil companies are working along lines that make it difficult for the Standard Oil Company to injure them to any degree. By having company concerns instead of individuals, they divide the stock in such small amounts that those of the business men who put their money in the oil company stock can spare it from their regular business, and if it should happen, from the future policy of the Standard, or any other difficulty, that this company would be forced to the wall, and its entire investment be forfeited, there would be an average loss to the stockholder of $216 each, and each could stand the loss and never really miss it, while if an individual had the entire investment, and should be forced to the wall, it would mean the loss to him of a great fortune, and also the loss to him of his credit.

Gov. Broward on Wednesday issued a commission certifying his appointment of Hon. James P. Taliaferro as United States Senator from Florida for the ad interim term. Mr. Taliaferro's commission expires on March 4th, and no provision is made for a re-election until the meeting of the Legislature in April except by appointment by the Governor, which was promptly made, Gov. Broward by courtesy appointing Mr. Taliaferro to fill the ad interim term.—Tallahassee Capitol.

The dispatches recite the details of the tranfer of the Santa Fe system to the Rockefeller interest and thus the last independent line is no more. It gives the Rockefeller interest direct a total of 72,640 miles, representing in stocks and bonds $3,995,220,000. They now control from the Missouri to the Pacific and from Mexico to the northern border except the holdings of Jim Hill. In three years, probably, all the steam and electric roads will be under one management.

Among the matters that should be settled before next Fourth of July by some of the papers throughout the State are the following: Did the frost injure the turnip crop of Florida? Will it pay to drain the Everglades? Is the railway to Key West a feasible proposition? Was Judge Swayne guilty? Why not hold a fair at Jacksonville and Tampa, if they want them? These questions should be settled before the Legislature begins its sessions so the proceedings will not be crowded out.

Portland's transportation facilities are excellent, and visitors will find it convenient to reach the main entrance to the exposition grounds of the Lewis and Clark Centennial, by three well-equipped double-tracked electric railroads.

It looks as if Johan Hoch had got himself in position to ascertain by experience that "hell hath no fury compared to twenty or thirty women scorned."

## EN PASSANTE.

Items of Interest Brought Out by The Sun's Rays.

"The lecture at the auditorium," said a gentleman who has been a regular patron of the Chautauqua, "are too long and too funny for me, and I reckon they appear the same way to others. Many of them contain wholesome advice and are well directed, but as for me, I could digest the good with a better relish if some of the antiquated jokes were left out. A good half hour of common sense talk, fired red hot at the young men and young women, would do more good than 180 minutes of the sublime and ridiculous hashed up together. Boil them down and then the young men can go home and think over them before bed-time."

"I don't think I would make a very good mail carrier," said a gentleman to a friend a few days ago. "Frequently I am handed one or two letters as I leave home and asked to drop them in the postoffice as I pass by on my way to my office, so they will get there before the postman calls. Of course it would seem almost rude to tell a person that Uncle Sam pays men to do the work and they would naturally be the most reliable carriers, so I take them with pleasure. But the other day a man asked me if I mailed the letter he gave me a week previous, as he had received no reply. I told him I thought I had, but on searching my pocket I found the letter there. I had other matters to occupy my thoughts and it never once entered my mind about being a mail carrier. Moral: If you want bread, don't go to the stone-yard."

"The idea that people patronize home talent entertainments, simply to encourage them, etc., is all nonsense," said a gentleman yesterday, who is quite a judge of amusements. "I went to the minstrel performance last night, and must confess I was happily surprised. It was all right. The first-part was as tasty as one would care to see, and much better than half the traveling shows. The singing was good, the jokes crisp and well told, and I notice that people who were present and not interested from local pride, enjoyed the performance. We have plenty of local talent here, and in the line of entertainments we can always get up something attractive. I am sure that all present got their money's worth at the minstrel show. Give us more."

"Have you got anything in the line of a booklet or paper that gives a brief sketch of Gainesville?" inquired a gentleman from the North of The Sun man a few days ago. "I came here to attend the Chautauqua and my wife and another lady who accompanied us are well pleased with the city of Gainesville. We like the town and the pure drinking water. But we would like to take a souvenir home with us." There not being anything at hand that filled the bill better than The Daily Sun, so we gave him a copy and he subscribed to have it continued to be sent to him at his home, as he wanted to keep posted regarding the improvements about the city.

"One thing Gainesville should be proud of," said a Northern visitor, "is the lady-like bearing of the young ladies and the gentlemanly appearance of the young men who are students of the East Florida Seminary. There are no finer appearing students that I can remember of having come to my notice, and I can assure you that I am quite observing along this line. And every stranger that I have talked with regarding the Seminary are of the same opinion I am."

It is calculated that the natural gas burned in the United States in one year would fill, at the average density and pressure, a pipe forty-nine feet in inside diameter, extending around the world at the equator. It would equal the contents of a reservoir a mile square and a mile and six-tenths in height. Its heating value is reckoned as about equivalent to 12,000,000 tons of good bituminous coal.

Florida will receive $55,500 more in revenue for the labor of its one thousand convicts the coming year than last. If we can't have the convicts work on the highways, why not use the money they bring in for "good roads?"

The President will open up a summer normal for the new Senators so that he can fit them for the work he has in hand.

An Elkhart, Ind., man has just become the father of twins a second time. That Indiana climate is simply wonderful.

## WILL INSPECT GUARDS.

Adjutant-General Foster and Col. Norvell to be Here Tuesday.

Adjutant-General Foster of the Florida State Troops and Colonel Norvell of the United States Army, will arrive in the city Tuesday for the purpose of inspecting the Gainesville Guards.

Captain C. R. Layton, commanding the company, is very desirous of making a fine appearance, and has issued the following order:

"Pursuant to General Orders No. 1, Company H, 2nd Infantry, will be inspected by the Adjutant-General and Colonel S. T. Norvell, U. S. A., retired, on Tuesday, March 7, 1905.

"Blue uniforms, caps, leggins, white standing collars, white gloves and black shoes, will be worn.

"The Company will assemble at 7:30 p. m.

"No excuse for absence from this ceremony will be accepted after same is over, but it must be presented and acted upon before assembly.

"Enlisted men must see that they are fully equipped, and all articles required must be obtained from the Company Commander before March 7.

"C. R. LAYTON,
"Captain Commanding."

## A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Horse Ran Away With Archer Lady, Resulting in Most Painful Injury.

Information has been received in this city to the effect that a day or two recently there was a serious runaway at Archer, in which Mrs. Fry sustained painful injury.

The lady was driving in a spring wagon when the horse became frightened and made a sudden dash, Mrs. Fry in the meantime losing control of the lines. The horse ran the vehicle into the steps at J. K. Tuten's store, the occupant being thrown out and the wagon upturned upon her. She was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to her home, where medical attention was summoned.

While the injuries are quite painful, the physician anticipates no serious results, which will be gratifying information.

### Ministerial Association.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association will be held on Tuesday afternoon, March 7, promptly at 2 o'clock, in the rectory study of Holy Trinity Church.

All members are urged not to fail in attending, as a full report of the religious causes of the city will be made, together with other important business.

T. P. HAY, President.
F. PRESCOTT BULLOCK, Secretary.

The Lewis and Clark Exposition to be held in Portland, Oregon, will afford ample opportunity for people to see the West and then return to Florida and settle down.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla., March 1, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land States by Act of August 4, 1892, James W. Douglass of Grady, county of Lafayette, State of Florida, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 131, for the purchase of the Lot 2 of Section No. 1, in Township No. 7 S., Range No. 13 E., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver, at Gainesville, Florida, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1905.

He names as witnesses: C. C. Hathcox of Hatch Bend, Fla.; C. A. Howell of Hatch Bend, Fla.; E. D. Dedge of Grady, Fla.; J. H. Cribbs of Grady, Fla.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of May, 1905.

pd W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Alachua county, and directed to all and every the sheriffs of the State of Florida, I, L. W. Fennell, as sheriff of said county, have levied upon and will sell before the court house door in Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, on Monday, the 3rd day of April, 1905, between the legal hours of sale, to the highest and best bidder therefor for cash, the following-described real estate, situated, lying and being in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 5, Township 10, Range 20, thence run South on East line of Section 8, Township 10, Range 20, eleven hundred seventy-two (1172) feet to a stake on the North side of a road; thence run along North side of said road South 42 degrees 30 minutes, West one thousand two (1002) feet to an iron post, (the southern corner of S., F. & W. R. R. land) the point of beginning of the land herein conveyed; thence run South 43 degrees 10 minutes, West fifty (50) feet to an iron post; thence run South 4 degrees 45 minutes, West two hundred ninety-eight (298) ft. along the western side of a 30-foot street to an iron post; thence run North 85 degrees 15 minutes, West four hundred thirty (430) feet to a stake on the East side of the Rocky Point road; thence run North 9 degrees, East along the East side of said road six hundred sixty-eight (668) feet to a stake; thence run East two hundred seventy-one (271) feet to a stake; thence run South 19 degrees 40 minutes, East three hundred ninety-five (395) feet to the point of beginning, containing 6 and 5 1-0 acres, more or less. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Said property being levied upon as the property of E. J. Baird to satisfy said execution in favor the State of Florida, for the use and benefit of Alachua county, and against E. J. Baird and J. C. Ward as sureties on the forthcoming bond of Israel M. Putman.

L. W. FENNELL,
As Sheriff of Alachua County, Florida.

# GRAND JURY MAKES ITS PRESENTMENT

## Made Thorough Examination of County Offices.

### COMPLAINT ABOUT WITNESSES

**Cannot Find Them When Summoned, and for This Reason This Term is Delayed — Court Adjourned Until Monday Morning, 9 O'Clock.**

The circuit court convened at 8:30 o'clock Saturday morning, His Honor Judge J. T. Wills presiding.

The jury in the case of the State of Florida vs. William. Cromwell returned a disagreement, three jurymen having held for acquittal and three for aggravated assault. The case, therefore, was declared a mistrial, after many hours of controversy and a great expense to the county. It will be remembered that the defendant was held for discharging a pistol at ex-Marshal J. H. Granger about a year ago.

The case of the State vs. S. Stevens, grand larceny, against whom the grand jury brought in an indictment Friday, was arraigned Saturday and pleaded not guilty. The prisoner was placed under a bond of $500, and the case was continued until the next term. Defendant being unable to give bond, was remanded to jail.

The grand jury came into court and made the following presentments:

**The Presentment.**

In the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial District of Florida, in and for Alachua County—Spring Term, 1905.

To the Hon. J. T. Wills, Judge Presiding:

Having finished our labors for the present term of the court, we now make this, our general presentment. It would have been possible for us to have concluded our business at an earlier date but for the impossibility to secure the necessary witnesses. This would not have been the case if the justices of the peace had performed their duty according to law. In many cases we found nothing more than a simple affidavit—no reconizance for witnesses or means to find out who the witnesses were. We would mention, however, that the cost bills were invariably present. This we consider a disgrace to a county the size of ours.

We have examined the collector's office and find everything in proper order with the exception that the books of the former collector, containing valuable county statistics, are missing. These records, we hear, have been sold as the private property of the former officers. We also find a great many occupation taxes unpaid and we would suggest that the State solicitor file information in such cases. The ceiling in this office is in a dangerous condition.

**Assessor's Office.**

We find the books of the assessor in seeming good condition. We would recommend that this office be furnished with a suitable desk and table to enable him to properly care for the papers of the office.

**Office of Clerk of the Court.**

We find the books in this office in good condition. We note a great many bonds for carrying concealed weapons that are worthless. In the approval of such bonds we would urge upon the county court the exercise of more care. We recommend that the ceiling in this office be painted instead of kalsomined so as to prevent the fall of dust on books and papers.

**Sheriff's Office.**

We find the records properly and correctly kept in this office.

**County Judge.**

In this office we find a commendable system of keeping the records where any matters pertaining to the office can be quickly located.

**Superintendent Public Instruction.**

After a careful inspection of the books of this office and the manner in which they are kept, we feel safe in saying very little improvement could be made. We recommend that this office be furnished with a safe.

The committee appointed to investigate the accounts of William Holloway, former superintendent of public instruction, found, with the limited time they had, gross irregularities, which we have referred to the Governor for investigation. We find numerous warrants issued in December, 1904, were used improperly and without permission of the teachers.

We are sorry to note the increase of crime in the county, and that the most of it caused by blind tiger whiskey at negro festivals.

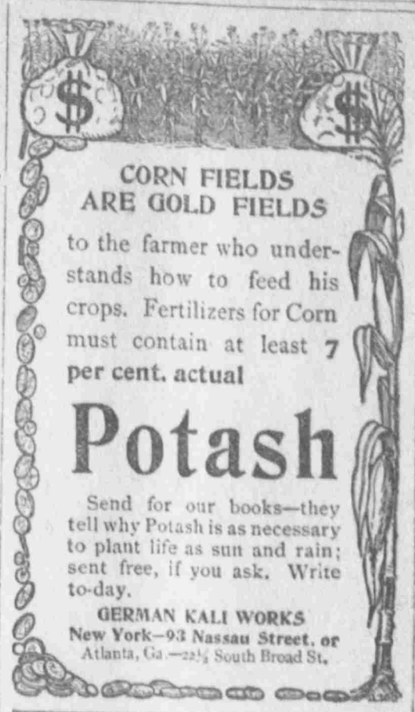
We return thanks to Your Honor, State attorney, and other officers of the court for courtesies extended us during our deliberations, and ask to be discharged.

HENRY C. PARKER,
Foreman Grand Jury.

W. S. MCDOWELL, Clerk.

The grand jury having completed its labors, that body adjourned for the term.

After hearing the cases mentioned above, the court adjourned until Monday morning at 9 o'clock.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### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

**Little Business Transacted by That Body Friday—Work of Grand Jury.**

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

Little business was transacted in the circuit court Friday.

The court opened at 9 o'clock a. m., His Honor Judge Wills presiding.

The first case called was that of the State of Florida vs. Chas. Walker, breaking and entering. The defendant was arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Jury called and sworn and evidence submitted, when a verdict of not guilty was rendered and the defendant was released.

The next case was that of the State of Florida vs. Murray McNish, charged with assault with intent to murder. Defendant withdrew a former plea of not guilty and substituted a plea of guilty of simple assault, and was sentenced by the court to pay a fine of $20 and costs or spend three months in the county prison.

The grand jury came into open court and reported two true bills and two no-bills.

The case of State vs. Wm. Cromwell, assault with intent to murder, was next taken up. The case was continued at a late hour in the evening until today, when it will be concluded, should the jury reach a verdict.

### THE MINSTRELS WERE FINE.

**Gainesville Military Minstrels Showed to Large and Appreciative Audience.**

From Saturday's Daily Sun.

The Gainesville Military Minstrels, which appeared at the opera house last night, was one of the best amatuer shows ever seen on the Gainesville stage, and would have done credit to the average professional troop. The large crowd seemed to appreciate the specirl work of the various artists, the specialties being especially fine.

Kennedy and Hale with the bones and Tench and Seagle with the tambos reminded one that he was seated before a professional quartette. Holly, as interlocutor, carried the part off to perfection, while the vocal work of the caste was one which was appreciated by the large audience. The first-part was first-class, and all that could be desired, while the remainder of the program was in keeping with first-class minstrelsy.

The evening concluded with the laughable farce, "Hotel De Bughouse," which alone was worth the price of admission.

The entertainment was given for the benefit of the athletic association of East Florida Seminary, and everyone who attended did not only enjoy the occasion, but felt that they were helping a good cause.

**Light Fruit Crop in Georgia.**

Summerville, Ga., March 4.—It appears now that the Elberta peach crop in this county will be very light.

# ANOTHER MAN IN CHAMBERLAIN CASE

## Deputy Sheriff Stokes Brought Geo. Anderson from Georgia.

### DECLARES HE IS THE MAN

**Says Fletcher Watson Was Crazy When He Confessed to Killing of Chamberlain, And Will Prove That He Was Two Miles Away from Scene.**

George Anderson, a negro who was formerly in the employ of Osteen & Herrin, naval stores operators of Micanopy, has been brought to this city from Georgia, charged with the murder of Garrett V. Chamberlain. Notwithstanding that the grand jury in the case has brought in a charge of murder in the case of Mr. Chamberlain of another man, Fletcher Watson, this man Anderson, who was working at the time of the killing for Osteen & Herrin, and who remained in the employ of that firm for several days afterwards, is accused of being the actual murderer, and Mr. Stokes declares he has evidence to prove it.

Anderson was arrested a few days ago at the request of Deputy Sheriff Stokes, by the sheriff of Clinch county, Ga., and placed in prison at Homersville. In the meatime an indictment upon the same charge was returned by the grand jury against Watson, but the question now rests, "Who did the killing?"

It will be remembered that shortly after this tragedy, which the entire county regretted, Watson was arrested and brought to this city, having been committed for the murder. He made a statement in which he said that he was guilty, but that he had been told to kill Chamberlain by a certain white man, from whom he had borrowed a gun. This story did not look right, and the public did did believe the white man guilty. The negro afterwards admitted that he had lied, and completely exonerated the white man, stating that he had committed the crime himself. The grand jury at the present session found an indictment against the negro, Watson, relieving the white man altogether, but even with the indictment Officer Stokes declares Watson is crazy, and that he believes that the man brought from Georgia is the guilty party.

**Watson is Crazy.**

"This negro Watson is absolutely crazy," remarked Officer Stokes Saturday. "I cannot understand what he meant by stating that he killed Mr. Chamberlain, and that is what makes the affair all the more ridiculous. I cannot understand for the life of me why Watson ever said he shot Garrett Chamberlain, when reputable witnesses will testify positively that he was at least two miles from the scene when the killing was alleged to have taken place."

Mr. Stokes feels sure that he has in Anderson the man who is guilty of the murder of Mr. Chamberlain, but of conrse this must be proven. Anderson states positively that he is not guilty, and says he will prove his innocence at the proper time.


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All farmers and gardeners ought to have a copy of the 1905 Seed Annual of the Ferry Company. It contains information and suggestions that are invaluable. The Annual will be mailed free to anyone addressing D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Mich.


### THE NEWS FROM MELROSE.

**Death of an Old and Highly Respected Citizen—Personal Notes.**

Melrose, March 2.—Another one of the old pioneers of Melrose has been removed from among his many friends by the death of "Uncle Alex." Goodson, who died on Monday morning from old age and general debility. He was born in South Carolina October 23, 1825. He settled first in Alabama and after marriage came to Alachua county in 1858, preempting 120 acres, now part of the old homestead. Being a strong and energetic man and a good farmer, he soon cleared up enough land to start his well-known farm and orange grove. Later he bought more land until he finally owned all the lake front between Starke avenue and the Maxwell grove. After platting out the site of Melrose, he disposed of most of his holdings, keeping only his original home farm. He was a member of the Methodist Church for many years. During the war he served in the Ninth Regiment Florida Infantry. "Uncle Aleck" leaves a widow, by second marriage, one son, John A., and one daughter, Mrs. Melinda Johnson of Lake Butler, to all of whom the sympathy of their many friends is extended. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning at Eliam cemetery and was largely attended, Revs. Sistrunk and Mosely taking part in the service. The final ceremony at the grave was in the hands of the Masonic brethren, delegations from Waldo and other points being present.

D. J. Ellsworth deserves a vote of thanks from the citizens of Melrose for the numerous young oak trees planted in the streets by him.

During the past few days some fifteen or twenty bales of cotton were shipped from here, having been held for better prices.

Simon Conrad is making many improvements to his newly acquired store property.

Mrs. E. M. King and Mrs. von Noszky left today for a week's visit to Jacksonville.

At the recent meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society the members were presented with a silver-mounted gavel of rhododendron wood by Mr. von Noszky. The next meeting will be on March 10.

### THE NEWS FROM WACAHOOTA

**People of That Thriving Section Are Happy—Personal Notes of Interest.**

Wacahoota, March 2.—News is not quite so scarce since the severe cold weather has passed away, leaving the outward promises more plentiful.

The farmers in this section have commenced planting corn and cotton, the regular old stand-by.

Quite a number of the most successful cabbage growers in this section are very frank in saying that the expense of their 1905 cabbage crop will be their last expense in this line until the price of cabbage and the temperature of the weather climbs up a few notches higher.

Rev. H. C. Martin preached a very interesting sermon to the people at Wacahoota last Sunday. He is an able man and the people here are very fortunate in securing him.

J. W. May made a business trip to Gainesville yesterday.

The carpenters are nearing the completion of the elegant residence of J. W. Bradley.

M. Seigler, a very popular young man of Grandin, is spending a few days here with friends and relatives.

Miss Bessie Parker, one of the most charming young ladies of LaCrosse, spent a few days here last week with her friends, Misses Hassie and Jennie Smith.

There was a social entertainment in the vicinity of Wacahoota last Saturday night, which was highly enjoyed by all of the young people. We afterwards learned that lagrippe was not the only very narrow escape for some of the young men who came the most lengthy distance to attend this party.

Miss Georgia Mixson, one of Gainesville's most popular and charming young ladies, is spending a few days here as the guest of Miss Hassie Smith.

# THE CHAUTAUQUA ENTERTAINMENT

## The Musical Events Were Very Much in Evidence.

### PROF. CHARLES LANE TALKS

**Saturday Was a Day Enjoyed by Lovers of Choice Music—The Attendance Still Continues Good and the Interest Flattering—Sunday's Program.**

The afternoon program at the Tabertorium drew a good attendance, when the day (Saturday) was taken into consideration, as many had to prepare for Sunday at their homes and were kept away.

The program at 2:15 o'clock was a little delayed, but the violin solos to be performed by Miss Cooke, who has won the good opinion of all music lovers, had aroused much interest and she was most heartily greeted. Her first fine selection was "Kammenoi Ostrow," by Rubenstien, the second was a "Serenade" by Drdla. For an encore she played the touching "Cradle Song," by Starke, which was full of soul-stirring music.

The lecture by Prof. Chas. Lane was a sort of random address, or "Talks and Talkers," as announced on the program. Many of his sarcastic remarks imply more than some people realize, and occasionally some interval of time would elapse before the full meaning would appear. He is a scholarly talker, and has won friends in Gainesville who will be glad to see him again.

**Evening Program.**

The program for the evening was a strictly musical treat. The first was the appearance of the favorite violin virtuoso, Miss Charlotte Cooke, who had two excellent numbers, the first being the "Swan Song" by Saint Seans, her second being an "Intermezo" by Mascagui. The cordiality shown Miss Cooke by the audience must have been very flattering to this accomplished violinist.

Following Miss Cooke came the Chicago Lyceum Ladies' Quartette, one of the most successful musical organizations that has ever been in this section of the country, having met with very flattering success both in the South and West, and been on their tour for eight months, one of the longest seasons of any ladies' organization in this country. The company comprises the popular lyric soprano, Madame Cones, first soprano; Elizabeth Pournell Stuart, second soprano and manager; Gertrude Goodwin Miller, first alto and dramatic reader, and Anna Houser, second alto and lady baritone.

The program was made up of some of the choicest music, consisting of quartets, solos, etc., and the harmony of the voices were even better than at their first appearance, having had a short rest from the fatigue of their journey in reaching this city. Madame Cones has a remarkable voice, reaching E above high C with apparent ease. Never before has a company met with more popular favor. Besides singing from the classic, they sang the inspiring "Dixie" and "Old Kentucky Home," with the most careful expression. It was a feast of music.


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# NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

## Brief Happenings From Various Sections of State.

### THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS

Transpiring in "The Land of Flowers."

Things "Boiled Down" to Suit the Busy Reader—Items of Interest to All Classes.

Pensacola has no military company at present.

A trip up the Ocklawaha is now the proper thing.

The A. C. L. oil house at Lakeland was destroyed by fire Wednesday.

Citrus county officers are making life a burden for gamblers in that locality.

Tampa is teeming with tourists this season. The record has been broken.

A lodge of Knights of Pythias has been organized at Belleview, Marion county.

Crystal River is soon to have a steamboat line established for the Gulf trade.

James M. Manley, a veteran of the Indian and Civil wars, died at Fort Meade Sunday.

During February there were 29 marriage licenses issued in Dade county, and only four to white people.

Daytona is not favorable to granting a water works franchise to private parties. A municipal works is the thing.

Tampa councilmen are so indisposed to physical exertion that it is a hard matter to get a quorum present at the meetings.

A large hotel will be built at St. Petersburg on the West Coast this summer, to be ready for the opening next season.

The St. Augustine Record says that Anastasia Island card sharks are working the three-card monte trick very successfully.

The lease of the State convicts has been made to C. H. Barnes & Co. of Jacksonville, their bid being $207.70 per head for all.

St. Augustine's improvement society is doing good work. Other towns should follow the example. There is always a chance for improvement.

The total number of boxes of oranges shipped from Zolfo this season up to Wednesday, February 22, was 89,314—16,796 boxes more than last season.

A law is wanted to prevent the killing of pelicans, says The Miami Record. We see no reason why anyone would wish to kill them. They certainly do no harm.

Horace Wood, alias Will Junisson, a bad coon, has been arrested at Lake City and taken to Tampa for trial for obtaining money on other people's property.

Jacksonville is bound to have the State Fair, and there is no other city in the State better located or with anywhere near the accommodations for people and exhibits.

The firemen at Key West made a parade and it was a creditable one. The department has 250 men and six engines, besides hose carts, hook and ladder trucks, etc.

The Seaboard Air Line operator who was responsible for the wreck at Cottondale about a week ago has been placed under $500 bond to appear at the next term of the circuit court at Marianna to stand trial for criminal negligence.

The following notary public appointments have been made by Gov. Broward: V. P. Simmons, Lakemont; J. C. Townsend, Tampa; W. S. Murrow, Jasper; H. M. Lott, Havanna; C. L. Wilson, Homeland; Hugh Smith, Perry; Perry M. Colson, Gainesville.

Secretary Appleyard of the State Press Association promises one of the best meetings at Lake City, March 22 to 24, the association ever had. Much business will be done that will be of interest to every newspaper published in the State. When the worthy "Sec." gets down to work he is a hustler.

W. E. Wattles has just been appointed secretary and treasurer of the Palatka end of the Southern Colonization Company of Chicago, which corporation recently purchased 20,000 acres of land in Putnam county for colonization purposes, and which will be formally opened for settlement some time in April.

Miss Linie Reed, 16 years old, whose foster mother lives in the Spring Garden section, while visiting at the home of Mr. J. Hunter, at DeLand, tried to end her life by taking Paris green. Although she was very ill, she had not taken sufficient to kill. The reason given for the act was that she was abused and made miserable.

The people of Candler enjoyed a presentation of the "Deestrickt Skule" by home talent and it was such a success that there is talk of putting the company on the road for a tour of the State.

The deer are getting very bold near Rockledge. A man may sit in one field watching for one all night and the deer slips around to another field, eating everything as he goes. Even scarecrows and bells do not scare them.

All the people, both young and old, of the villages of Courtenay, Indianola and Merritt, were kept busy Sunday and Monday fighting a forest fire, which occasioned considerable alarm Sunday afternoon by the rapid spread from Mr. Lapham's in Indianola down to Merritt.

In denying the authorship of an article which appeared in The Miami Record, the man charged with it said in the following choice language: "I hereby declare it was absolutely a lie from beginning to end, and that I never saw the addle-pated fool who wrote the alleged interview until after it had been printed."

It is now about the season for Florida papers to utter their annual warning to the tourists against rushing home too early. Florida is just now getting into its most delightful season, while the reign of ice and snow at the North is not over by any means. At least a month longer should be spent in the "Land of Flowers."—Tampa Tribune.

Narrow-guage, short-sighted business men are a success when it comes to retarding the growth and prosperity of a town, and they may be depended on to do that in spite of its splendid natural and other advantages if there are enough of them to counteract the saving work and influence of the broad-minded, far-seeing business men who labor early and late for its upbuilding.—Leesburg Commercial.

### Champion Liniment for Rheumatism.

Chas. Drake, a mail carrier at Chapinville, Conn., says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the champion of all liniments. The past year I was troubled a great deal with rheumatism in my shoulder. After trying several cures the storekeeper here recommended this remedy and it completely cured me." There is no use of anyone suffering from that painful ailment when this liniment can be obtained for a small sum. One application gives prompt relief and its continued use for a short time will produce a permanent cure. For sale by all druggists.


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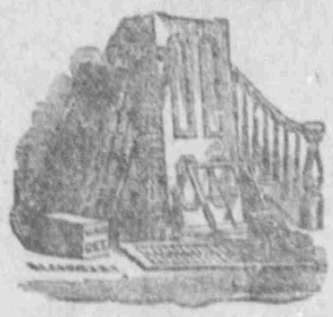


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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that J T Fleming & Sons, purchasers of Tax Certificate No. 720, dated the 7th day of July, A. D. 1890, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Lots 7, 8 and 9, Block 23, Archer.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 4th day of February, A. D. 1905.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that J. T. Fleming & Sons, purchasers of part of Tax Certificate No. 396, dated the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1890, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Lot 10 of Block 23, Archer.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Heirs of R. G. Cole.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 4th day of February, A. D. 1905.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that J. B. Jordan, purchaser of part of Tax Certificate No. 110, dated the 6th day of July, A. D. 1885, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

S½ of Sw¼ of Se¼ and S½ of Se¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8, R. 18, and Nw¼ of Ne¼ Sec. 17, Tp. 8, R. 18.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of R. F. Hill.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 11th of February, A. D. 1905.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that J. J. Hayman, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 1200, dated the 4th day of July, A. D. 1898, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property, situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit:

Sw¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 9, Tp. 12, R. 22 S. & E.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Henning L. and I. Company.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 11th day of February, A. D. 1905.

S. H. WIENGES,
pd Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.,
January 30, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Fla., on March 7, 1905, viz:

JOHN I. TRULUCK of Bell, Fla.,

Hd. 33216 for the Sw 1-4 of Ne 1-4 and W 1-2 of Se 1-4 of Sec. 12, Tp. 8 S., R. 14 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

William Thomas, John Miller, Jesse Oder of Bell, Fla.; J. C. B. Thomas of Willeford, Fla.

pd W. G. ROBINSON, Register.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.

To the Heirs, Legatees, Distributees and Creditors of the Estate of Archibald Hague, Sr., and to All Persons Whom This Notice May Concern:

You will take notice that six months after the first publication of this notice I, as administratrix of the estate of Archibald Hague, Sr., will present to the Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge in and for Alachua county, State of Florida, my accounts as such administratrix and final report, and will then and there ask for final discharge as such administratrix.

LAURA W. SMALL,
Administratrix of the Estate of Archibald Hague, Sr. 1-19-05

NOTICE OF FINAL DISCHARGE OF GUARDIAN.

Notice is hereby given that six months after the first publication of this notice, the undersigned, as guardian of and for Herbert Smith, will present his final accounts and vouchers to the Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge within and for Alachua county, Florida, and will then and there apply for final discharge, and further administration and guardianship upon the estate of the said Herbert Smith, he the said Herbert Smith, having attained the age of twenty-one years.

This September 13th, A. D. 1904.

ARTHUR W. TEDCASTLE,
31505 As Guardian for Herbert Smith.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that, four weeks after the first publication of this notice, towit: On the seventeenth day of March, A. D. 1905, I, as guardian of and for Ruth Clash Jernigan, a minor, will apply to Hon. H. G. Mason, county judge Alachua county, Florida, for an order to sell the following-described property of and belonging to said minor, towit: Commence at southwest corner of Lot 18 of Hill & Lassiter Addition to Gainesville, run thence south 86 8-12 feet, east 100 feet, north 86 8-12 feet, west 100 feet, to beginning, in Sec. 4, Tp. 10, R. 20 E.

L. A. JERNIGAN,
This February 14, 1905. Guardian.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that, four weeks after first publication hereof, towit: On the 17th day of March, A. D. 1905, I, as guardian of A. L. Hill, a minor, will apply to the county judge of Alachua county, Florida, for an order to sell, at private sale, all the right, title and interest of the said A. L. Hill in and to the following-described lots of land: Lots 7, 8, 9, 16 and 17 of Hill & Lassiter's Addition to the City of Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida.

This Feb. 14, 1905. L. L. HILL,
Guardian of A. L. Hill.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the estate of F. E. Williams, deceased, late of Alachua county, Florida, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having any claims or demands against said estate are required to present them for payment within the time required by law, or they will be barred, and all debts due the said estate must be paid to me.

IDA D. WILLIAMS,
Feb. 20, 1905. Administratrix.

# THE CHAUTAUQUA ATTRACTIONS

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### PROGRAM OF MIRTH AND MUSIC

**Prof. Charles Lane on the "Analysis of Laughter"—Miss Charlotte Cooke in Brilliant Violin Selections—Chicago Lyceum Ladies' Quartet.**

The program of the Chautauqua of Friday was somewhat changed, owing to the fact that the lecture on the program was carried over until evening.

The afternoon program drew a large audience. The first number was a violin solo by Miss Charlotte Cooke, which was very pleasing and gave general satisfaction. Miss Cooke is a young lady of prepossesing appearance, has an easy and graceful manner and her selections show fine musical taste, while her bowing and execution of the difficult selections are very artistic. The repeated calls for another number was a compliment to her performances on the king of instruments.

The next on the program was the lecture by Prof. Charles Lane, his subject being "The Analysis of Laughter." Prof. Lane showed by his able handling of his subject that he is a thinker as well as a speaker, and the manner in which he delivered his address showed that he had spared no pains to give his hearers something good. He said that wit came from the head and will always laugh at you, and humor came from the heart and will always laugh with you. He amused his hearers with the many humorous stories and incidents he related in his inimitable manner, entering into the sublime at times. In closing he recited the following beautiful poem, "The Merry Heart:"

The merry heart, the merry heart,
Of Heaven's gifts I hold the best;
And they that feel its pleasant throb,
Though dark their lot, are truly blest.

From youth to age it changes not,
In joy and sorrow still the same;
When skies are dark and tempests scowl,
It shines a steady beacon flame.

It gives to beauty half its power,
The nameless charms work all the rest;
The light that dances o'er the face,
And speaks of sunshine in the breast.

If beauty ne'er had set her seal,
It supplies her absence too;
And many a cheek looks passing fair
Because a merry heart shines through.

**Evening Session.**

The announcement of the grand concert of the Chicago Lyceum Ladies' Quartette and the lecture by Lou J. Beauchamp had a drawing effect, and it seemed as though the entire population of the city and surrounding country had turned out.

The concert was of a highly gratifying order, the quartette being made up of four well trained voices that were in perfect harmony, and the music was made up of numbers that brought out the sweetest effects of each arrangment.

The lecture of Mr. Beauchamp was up to the standard of this popular platform speaker, who left a most favorable impression with his hearers Thursday evening, and he is reckoned among the high-class lecturers by those who have expressed themselves regarding his efforts here.


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Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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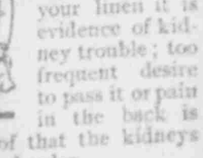

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# A BAD DISORDER

In the fall of 1895 I contracted that fearful disease, Blood Poison. It gained such headway that I was forced to resign my position and seek relief at Hot Springs. After spending all the means I had I went to Memphis. In less than three weeks I was in a hospital, and after nine weeks of suffering I was discharged as cured. In less than a month every bone in my body seemed to be affected and felt as if they would break at the least exertion. Again I was compelled to resign, and I returned to the hospital for a seven weeks stay. When I came out I was advised to try farming. When I first went on the farm I prevailed on the only firm who handled drugs to get me one dozen bottles of S. S. S. At that time both of my hands were broken out with blisters and I was covered with boils and sores. In the meantime my druggist had gotten two dozen bottles of S. S. S. for me and I began its use, and after taking the thirteenth bottle not a sore or boil was visible. R. B. POWELL, East 9th St., Little Rock, Ark.

Of all human diseases, Contagious Blood Poison is the most hideous and hateful. The victim is tortured with eating ulcers, sores and abscesses, unsightly blotches, eruptions and other symptoms of the miserable disease. S. S. S. has been used successfully for nearly fifty years for Contagious Blood Poison. It contains no mercury, potash or other mineral. Our home treatment book gives all the symptoms of this disease. Medical advice free.

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## KNEW JONES' FATHER.

**Captain Kelley Served in Confederate Army in Jones' Regiment.**

Captain G. W. Kelley and Sam Jones "got together," to use the expression, Thursday, and for the first time in many years. It was a most agreeable meeting, since they had not seen each other for many years—when Captain Kelley held a commission in the Twenty-second Georgia regiment, of which Sam Jones' father was colonel, and Sam, then a boy of twelve years, was a marker. Strange to say, however, Mr. Jones as a youth remembered Captain Kelley as an officer, and for a time the two gentlemen, in which there is such a vast difference in age, enjoyed a pleasant chat together over "old times." They talked of various engagements, in some of which they were victorious, in others unsuccessful. Both were glad to meet, and their conversation over several episodes and incidents would have proved of deep interest to any person, as both have undergone thrilling experiences.


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Herbine is a boon for sufferers from anaemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength is revived. The languor is diminished. Health, vigor and tone predominate. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Belle H. Shirel, Middlesborough, Ill., writes: "I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood, and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbine. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's lifetime." 50 cents. Sold by W. M. Johnson.


**Had a Big Time.**

Alachua Camp No. 5, Woodmen of the World, believe in having a good time once in a while, and Thursday night was one of the times. It was announced in ample time for all members to "get ready," that there would be a big oyster supper at this meeting, with the result that there was a large attendance, and the meeting resulted in a great deal of good.

The Woodmen are progressing nicely here, the order growing in membership at every meeting. It is an order which carries fraternal insurance and is becoming more popular every year.


**Invaluable for Rheumatism.**

I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism and found that Hallard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains. March 24th, 1902, John C. Degman, Kinsman, Ill. 25c, 50c and $1. Sold by W. M. Johnson.



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**Young Woman Named as Secretary.**

Montgomery, Ala., March 3.—Miss Mamie Offutt has been appointed the governor's temporary recording secretary by Governor Cunningham. She was formerly the governor's stenographer. She succeeds Michael Schuwa, who resigned the place Monday to succeed his father, Captain B. H. Screws, deceased, as a justice of the peace. When Governor Jelks returns he will appoint a permanent recording secretary. The many friends of Miss Offutt hope that she will be the appointee.

**Startling Mortality.**

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for constipation and biliousness." 25c at druggists.

**Victory for Judge Parker.**

Albany, N. Y., March 3.—A victory for ex-Chief Judge Parker in his first case before the court of appeals is involved in the decision handed down by that court denying the motion of John M. Bowers. Judge Parker's opponent, to amend the remittitur in the recently argued case of Reich vs. Dyer. A motion to re-argue the case was denied also.


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Loss of appetite always results from faulty digestion. All that is needed is a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will invigorate the stomach, strengthen the digestion and give you an appetite like a wolf. These tablets also act as a gentle laxative. For sale by all druggists.


**Shot Daughter; Then Himself.**

De Queen, Ark., March 3.—Mrs. L. H. Brand, keeper of a boarding house here, shot her 8-year-old daughter, Katie, with a target rifle, and then using the same weapon, sent a bullet into her own brain. Both will die.


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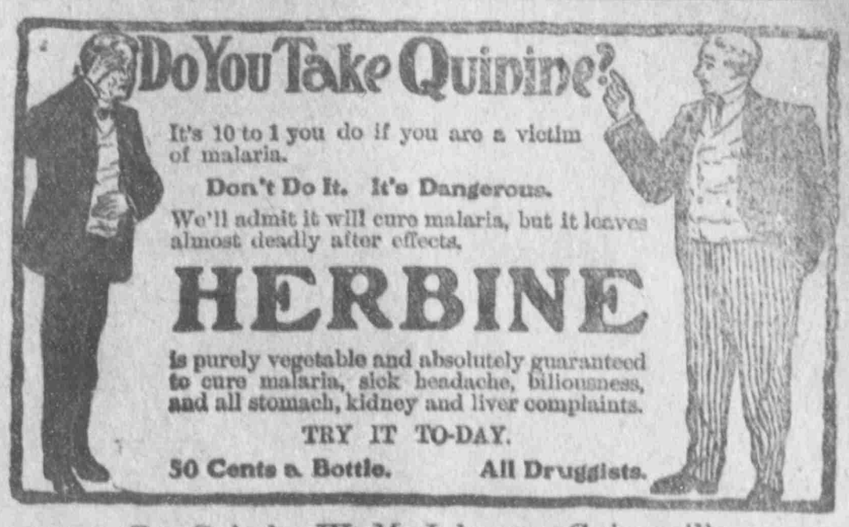
**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court, Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Alachua county, and directed to all and every the sheriffs of the State of Florida, I, L. W. Fennell, sheriff of Alachua county, Florida, have levied upon and will sell, before the court house door in the city of Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida, on Monday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1905, between the legal hours of sale, to the highest and best bidder therefor for cash, the following described real property, lying and being in Alachua county, Florida, towit: The south half of the southeast quarter of Section Eight (8), Township Nine (9), Range Fourteen (14); said property being levied upon under and by virtue of said execution as the property of John R. Thomas. Also the following described real property situated in Alachua county, Florida, towit: Begin three hundred sixty (360) feet from southwest corner of Block five (5) and run thence west one hundred (100) feet, thence north two hundred (200) feet, thence east one hundred (100) feet, thence south two hundred (200) feet to point of beginning, according to survey and plat made by J. W. Patton, February 1901, of the town of Bell, Florida; said property being levied upon as the property of N. H. Thomas, under and by virtue of said execution.

All of above property being levied upon to satisfy said execution in favor of the State of Florida, for the use and benefit of Alachua county, and against John R. Thomas and N. H. Thomas.

L. W. FENNELL,
Sheriff of Alachua County, Fla.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# NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

### Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

**What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.**

*From Friday's Daily Sun.*

Moses and John Starling of Monteocha were trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Hester, an estimable lady of Micanopy, was shopping in the city yesterday.

George L. Churchwell, a progressive farmer of Alachua, was trading in the city yesterday.

LeRoy N. Pearce, the merchant of Alachua, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

John Fennell of Campville was in the city yesterday, a guest of his brother, Sheriff L. W. Fennell.

O. C. Smith of Alachua was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call, renewing his subscription.

Ira J. Carter, the progressive young merchant of Newberry, was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call.

Thomas B. Smith of Waldo, a trucker and farmer who has made some money at the business, was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Miss Vincent, an accomplished young lady of High Springs, has returned to her home, after a brief but pleasant visit to Miss Hattie Hodges.

Green Chaires of Old Town, one of the most widely known citizens of that section, has returned to his home, after a business trip to this city.

R. G. Bass, the merchant of High Springs, was in the city yesterday for a few hours. He was en route to Evinston on a brief visit to his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eddy and daughter of Orange Heights were among the visitors to this city yesterday, having come on a combined business and pleasure trip.

L. K. Edwards, the efficient manager of the crate works at Irvine and one of the cleverest young business men in the State, was registered at the Brown House yesterday.

George W. Dyal, the merchant of Monteocha, was among the business visitors to this city yesterday and paid The Sun an agreeable call. He was accompanied by his son, Madison.

C. W. Sikes of Cadillac, one of the progressive citizens of that section, was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call, having his named placed on the subscription list.

Deputy Sheriff Lee Stokes of Micanopy has gone to Georgia, where he has been summoned on important business. Mr. Stokes may have some information of importance when he returns to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Medlin, Misses Sadie and Claudia May Wannamaker and Oscar McLaurin of Meredith were in the city yesterday, having come to hear the lecture of Rev. Sam. P. Jones at the Chautauqua yesterday afternoon.

Strayed and Taken Up—One gray mare; also one dark iron gray mule. Address G. D. Roth, Gainesville, Fla.

Bruce Zetrouer of Rochelle, Frank Walker of Bell and J. K. Christial of McIntosh were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. The latter is a progressive merchant of McIntosh, being a member of the Christian-Dickson Company.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Henderson of Arno were among those who favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday. Mr. Henderson owns one of the finest peach orchards in the county and expects to realize handsomely from the same during the coming season.

R. A. Becker announces his candidacy in this issue of The Sun for marshal, and promises if elected to perform his duty with impartiality to all people. Mr. Becker has been a citizen of Gainesville for several years, and is well and favorably known here.

Our contract with persons to whom advances are made to assist them in growing crops is iron-clad. Just the thing for merchants who advance to croppers. $2 for 50; $3 per hundred, cash with order. Not less than 50 sold. The Sun, Gainesville, Fla. daw

F. S. Osteen of Micanopy, an extensive naval stores operator of that place, has gone to High Springs, after a brief business visit to this city. Mr. Osteen is one of the cleverest "fellows" in the business, and has many friends here who are always glad to greet him.

J. W. Patton has returned from Waldo, in the vicinity of which place he has been engaged in surveying for Stephens & Cauthen for the past few days. This firm, who are engaged in the shingle business, has secured a fine tract of cypress timber on Lake Santa Fe, and expect to keep a large force engaged for the next few months.

Mrs. J. J. Costello of High Springs, after a brief visit to Mrs. C. B. Hodges in this city, has gone to Tallahassee. From that city she proposes to go to Savannah, where she will remain for an indefinite period, her husband having been transferred from the paint shops of the Atlantic Coast Line at High Springs to Savannah.


## READ THIS.

Lexington, Tenn., June 5, 1901.

This is to certify that about March last I suffered intensely with my back and kidneys. Just prior to this I had undergone treatment for bladder trouble and was relieved, except the treatment was followed by the above trouble. It was recommended that I try "Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery." I took one dose on retiring at night, and to my agreeable astonishment, I found myself relieved. One dose did the work. There is no bosh about this. It is wonderful.

Respectfully,
C. R. Scott,
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### A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.


*From Saturday's Daily Sun.*

C. H. Breedlove of Waldo was in the city yesterday.

T. H. Beville of Arredondo was trading in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Means of Micanopy, after a pleasant visit to friends in this city, has returned to her home.

Miss Laura Getzen, a charming young lady of Fort White, is in the city, visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Bunch.

Warranty Deeds for sale at this office; 50c per dozen, $2 50 per hundred. Cash must accompany order.

Mrs. Sam P. Nipper and daughter of Newberry were among the visitors to this city yesterday. They came on a shopping tour.

Monroe Venable, member of the firm of Venable & Jones, manufacturers of lumber and naval stores operators, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Justice M. A. Bexley of High Springs, one of the most efficient officials in the county, was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call.

J. G. Colson of Brooker, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of that section, was in the city yesterday, a guest of his son, Dr. J. H. Colson.

Stray Horse Taken Up.—One bay horse, seven or eight years old; white spot on back, lump on hind thigh. Party owning same address G. W. Dyal, Monteocha, Fla. dawlt

Our labor contract saves possible loss from advances made to employes. Price: 50 or less by mail, 3½ cents each; $3 per hundred; cash with order. The Sun, Gainesville, Fla. daw

The home of Mrs. S. A. Blanding, North Oak avenue, has been improved by the application of paint. The color effect is a drab gray with dark trimmings, which makes one of the prettiest homes in the city.

Mrs. Goodspeed of Chicago, who has been residing at Miami for the past few months, has moved to Gainesville, and proposes to make this her future home. She will be gladly welcomed by the people of Gainesville, and it is hoped she will be pleased.

Capt. W. G. Shehee of High Springs, one of The Sun's tried and true friends, was in the city yesterday and paid this office a pleasant call. Friends will regret to learn that Capt. Shehee is still suffering from rheumatism, and it may be necessary for him to visit Hampton Springs or some other resort for the cure of that disease. He has a great deal of confidence in Hampton Springs and believes that if given a fair trial he will be entirely cured there.

As will be seen from the announcement elsewhere, D. A. Robertson announces his candidacy for the office of marshal of the city of Gainesville. As has been said before, Mr. Robertson is an honest and conscientious citizen, has resided in Gainesville for many years, and is known as a man who will perform his duty. Should he be elected to the office to which he aspires there is little doubt but that he would perform its functions well, and Mr. Robertson asks the consideration of the voters.

*From Sunday's Daily Sun:*

Mrs. J. M. Haile of Alachua was shopping in the city yesterday.

J. H. Rollins of Rochelle was among the visitors to this city yesterday.

Attorney Thos. E. Owens of High Springs was a visitor to this city yesterday.

H. A. Fisher of North Gainesville has returned from South Florida, where he has been on business for the past few days.

W. F. Grissome of Rochelle, one of The Sun's oldest and best friends in that section, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

F. M. and P. G. Ramsey, two of Alachua county's most prominent citizens, were among the visitors from Wacahoota yesterday.

If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

F. S. Curl and accomplished daughter, Miss Pauline, are in the city from their home at Archer. They are attending the Chautauqua.

Prof. J. H. Fulks, principal of the Archer school, is spending the Sabbath with his family here. He reports the school in a prosperous condition.

Samuel Bauknight and J. H. Dye of Micanopy, W. P. Shettleworth of Erinston and J. C. Haile of Alachua formed a jolly quartette of visitors to Gainesville yesterday.

Misses Hattie and Bessie Moffett of Micanopy favored this city with a visit yesterday. These young ladies are taking violin lessons from Mrs. Ankie Green Parker, and came for instruction.

H. J. Jolley of Newton was in the city yesterday on business connected with the United States land office. He made The Sun an agreeable call, having his name enrolled upon the subscription list.

Registration Notice.—Notice is hereby given that the registration books of the city of Gainesville are now open at my office in the United States land office, and all persons desiring to do so can register on or before March 12th, 1905. J. M. Dell, City Clerk.

Mrs. V. P. Smith and niece, Miss Nancy Smith, of Wacahoota arrived in the city yesterday. The latter was enrolled as a student in East Florida Seminary. She is a young lady possessed of an amiable disposition, and will no doubt make many friends at the Seminary.

Monroe Venable gave a party to his friends at his home at Kanapaha Friday evening, and the affair passed off in a most enjoyable manner. It was an old-fashioned dance, and was attended by a great many, several going from Gainesville. During the evening delicious refreshments were served.

At the request of several local horsemen Mr. Jewell of Kentucky, the owner of Keeps, the famous stallion, whose pedigree appeared in The Sun a short time ago, has agreed to let him make a short season at Gainesville, under the care of Crawford & Davis. Those interested will confer with them at once. This affords a wonderful opportunity for lovers of fine stock.

Myron B. French, for many years a resident of Gainesville, died at St. Petersburg last week. Mr. French, and his wife, came to Gainesville upwards of fifteen years ago from Madison, Wis., and was interested in real estate in this vicinity. About three years ago himself and wife went to St. Petersburg to reside. He was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge and the Methodist church.

J. F. Donaldson of Cyril, a progressive farmer of that section, was a visitor to this city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call. He states that a great many people are suffering from smallpox in the vicinity of Cyril just now, but there has been only one death, that of Sullivan Cason, a negro. The disease is one which physicians have learned to master, with the result that there are few deaths.

Chas. Holten, business manager of the C. W. Park Dramatic Company, the aggregation which recently played to delighted Gainesville audiences, was in the city yesterday and made The Sun an agreeable call. Mr. Holten announces that the company will appear here on a week's return engagement, beginning Monday, March 13. The plays will be new, and the program entirely changed from the last engagement. It is one of the best shows ever visiting this city, and will no doubt be liberally patronized.

### HAD OYSTER SUPPER.

**Modern Workmen of the World Ate Oysters and Initiated Candidates.**

The Micanopy lodge of the Modern Workmen of the World are progressive fellows, and believe in keeping up with the times. On Thursday evening of the past week the lodge gave an oyster supper to its members, and it is needless to add that there were a great many present, as all the Micanopy folks are partial to oysters.

There were three candidates at this meeting, and they were initiated in the mysteries of the order, after which there was a general good time.


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### LAND OFFICE BUSINESS.

**Business for February was Larger Than Same Month Preceding Year.**

The United States land office for the month of February enjoyed the finest business of any month of the same period in preceding years, and as a natural result, Register Robinson, Receiver Chubb and the office force are happy.

Chief Clerk Lynch stated Saturday that he had been busy making out the reports for the past few days, being compelled to work over time. The demand for government lands has been good, and in almost every instance those making application have entered homesteads and will become citizens of Florida. A great many applicants have come from outside the State, but the homesteads have been reserved, and the settlers will grow up with the country as useful and progressive citizens.

The following report of the land office for the month of February is given for the benefit of those interested:

101 homestead entries, 11,312.06 acres; 36 final homesteads, 3,605.58 acres; 51 excess cash entries, 280.24 acres; 10 M. B. land warrants, 1,237.20 acres.

### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**For Marshal.**

To the Voters of Gainesville:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of marshal, subject to the action of the citizens of Gainesville at the coming municipal election. I leave my case in their hands. If I have discharged my duty as marshal in the past, I ask their indulgence and their votes in future. If they do not think I have discharged my duty, then it rests with them. I will appreciate support, however, and promise as long as in the office to show partiality to no one. Respectfully, Chas. Pinkoson.

**For Marshal.**

To the Voters of Gainesville:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of marshal, subject to the action of the voters of Gainesville at the coming municipal election. Have always been a loyal Democrat, am always ready to render my aid and influence in support of right and justice, and if elected promise a fair and honest service, without fear or favor. Respectfully,
D. A. Robertson.

**For Marshal.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Marshal of the City of Gainesville, and solicit the support of all the voters of said city at the coming election of city officers.

If elected, I promise to give to all the people a vigorous and impartial exercise of the duties pertaining to that office. Respectfully,
Richard A. Becker.


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